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SUBJ: MALAYSIAN DELEGATION TO WORLD FOOD CONFERENCE, ROME,
NOV. 5-16, 1974

1. FOLLOWING IS LINE-UP OF MALAYSIAN DELEGATION TO WORLD FOOD
CONFERENCE (WFC):

A. DELEGATION CHAIRMAN: TAN SRI WONG POW NEE (SURNAME: WONG),
MALAYSIAN AMBASSADOR TO ROME WHO NORMALLY REPRESENTS GOM AT FAO
MEETINGS.

B. DR. SYED HUSSAIN Wafa (SURNAME: SYED HUSSAIN), CHIEF OF
AGRICULTURE SECTION, ECONOMIC PLANNING UNIT, PRIME MINISTER'S
DEPARTMENT; HE IS UP-AND-COMING, 36 YEAR OLD ECONOMIST WHO HAS
PH.D. FROM STANFORD.

C. DR. WONG SOON KAI (SURNAME: WONG), SARAWAK STATE MINISTER
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OF AGRICULTURE; NEWLY-APPOINTED AS STATE MINISTER, HE IS A

MEDICAL DOCTOR WITH NO PREVIOUS EXPERIENCE IN AGRICULTURE AFFAIRS.

D. PHANG PIN SUAN (SURNAME: PHANG), MALAYSIAN TRADE COMMISSIONER IN GENEVA WHO IS EXPORT ON INTL TRADE MATTERS.

E. ISMAIL BIN SHAMSRUDDIN (SURNAME: ISMAIL), NATIONAL RICE MARKETING BOARD; IN HIS LATE 20'S, HE IS GRADUATE OF LOUISIANA STATE UNIV.

F. T. K. VAN, ASSISTANT DIRECTOR OF GOM'S AGRICULTURAL RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT INSTITUTE (MARDI) WHO IS SENIOR AND WELL-REGARDED CIVIL SERVANT.

G. JOSEPH KONG TED CHONG (SURNAME: KONG), SARAWAK STATE DIRECTOR OF AGRICULTURE WHO IS BEING NOMINATED FOR PARTIAL VIP GRANT FOLLOWING WFC (SEPTTEL).

H. ARIFFIN BIN AMBONG (SURNAME: ARIFFIN), SABAH STATE DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF AGRICULTURE.

2. RE LEVEL OF DELEGATION, GOM INFORMATION MINISTER AND MINISTER WITH SPECIAL FUNCTIONS FOR FOREIGN AFFAIRS TUNKU RITHAUDDEEN HAD ORIGINALLY BEEN SLATED TO HEAD WFC DELEGATION, BUT CONVENING OF NEWLY-ELECTED PARLIAMENT THIS WEEK PRECLUDED HIS ATTENDANCE IN ROME. BEST CONTACTS FOR USDEL RE TECHNICAL MATTERS ARE PROBABLY DR. SYED HUSSAIN Wafa AND PHANG PIN SUAN.
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